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ACCORDING to the official report of the General Office of Statistics of the Argentine Government, the total foreign trade of the Argentine Republic for the year 1915 was 785,173,376 pesos, gold, represented by imports to the value of 226,892,733 pesos, and exports of 558,280,643 pesos. The figures for the preceding year were: Imports, 271,817,900 pesos; exports, 349,254,141 pesos; total, 621,072,041 pesos. There was, therefore, a decrease in imports of 44,925,167 pesos, and an increase in exports of 209,026,502 pesos, or a net increase in foreign trade of 164,101,335 pesos.

These figures do not include coin imports and exports, of which the former, in 1915, amounted to 4,200,517 pesos, and the latter to 6,346 pesos.

In figures of United States currency, estimating the Argentine gold peso at 97 cents, which is about its commercial value (it is equivalent to 5 francs and its metallic value is 96.5 cents), the trade of Argentina for 1915, not including coin, was: Imports, \$220,085,951; exports, \$541,532,224; total, \$761,618,175. The figures for the preceding year were: Imports, \$263,663,363; exports, \$338,776,517; total, \$602,439,880.

With the beginning of 1915 Argentine foreign trade had begun to adjust itself to the changed conditions due to the war, the imports remaining below the normal of peace times and the exports exceeding the normal, in the latter case due in part to increase of prices.

TWENTY-YEAR TABLE OF FOREIGN TRADE

<i>Year</i>	<i>Imports Pesos</i>	<i>Exports Pesos</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Imports Pesos</i>	<i>Exports Pesos</i>
1896.....	112,163,591	116,802,016	1906.....	269,970,521	292,253,829
1897.....	98,288,948	101,169,299	1907.....	285,860,683	296,204,369
1898.....	107,428,900	133,829,458	1908.....	272,972,736	366,005,341
1899.....	116,850,671	184,917,531	1909.....	302,756,095	397,350,528
1900.....	113,485,069	154,600,412	1910.....	351,770,656	372,626,055
1901.....	113,959,749	167,716,102	1911.....	366,810,686	324,697,538
1902.....	103,039,256	179,486,727	1912.....	384,853,469	480,391,256
1903.....	131,206,600	220,984,524	1913.....	421,352,542	483,504,547
1904.....	187,305,969	264,157,525	1914.....	271,817,900	349,254,141
1905.....	205,154,420	322,843,841	1915.....	226,892,733	558,280,643

IMPORTS

The imports by principal countries of origin for the last five years were:

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	1911 Pesos	1912 Pesos	1913 Pesos	1914 Pesos	1915 Pesos
United Kingdom.....	108,637,430	118,669,266	130,886,587	92,474,681	67,781,867
United States.....	52,353,390	59,126,951	62,032,853	36,684,446	56,158,904
Italy.....	29,345,979	32,487,152	34,789,741	24,872,105	21,168,379
Mexico.....	10,855	13,720	1,353,785	1,790,625	15,118,359
France.....	38,026,555	37,618,578	38,075,811	22,393,554	13,310,650
Spain.....	11,279,465	11,928,307	12,389,607	8,603,991	11,339,057
Brazil.....	8,461,416	9,547,236	9,259,182	9,290,258	10,381,501
British Possessions.....	4,494,886	6,093,128	7,763,164	3,285,665	8,360,485
Germany.....	65,862,211	63,941,503	71,311,628	39,996,133	5,653,310
Paraguay.....	2,961,393	2,127,506	2,271,135	1,789,486	2,259,887
Sweden.....	1,666,645	2,290,645	3,123,889	1,884,244	2,061,766
Netherlands.....	2,977,739	3,441,667	4,074,104	2,801,243	1,981,156
Uruguay.....	3,069,648	2,496,913	3,196,403	2,931,792	1,879,658
Switzerland.....	2,867,224	2,183,400	2,749,682	1,443,166	1,537,052
Norway.....	1,041,123	1,468,794	2,261,342	1,472,344	1,368,189
Canada.....	2,883,761	2,266,257	1,651,810	482,519	1,132,158
Cuba.....	814,767	1,105,380	1,126,658	1,015,615	871,185
Belgium.....	19,485,211	20,370,530	21,953,910	12,137,524	853,746
Japan.....	519,627	774,885	868,240	487,094	817,697
Chile.....	682,302	571,412	707,998	491,043	776,229
Denmark.....	73,153	167,930	204,106	144,336	614,844
Bolivia.....	149,388	430,750	252,024	266,876	359,891
Austria-Hungary.....	4,304,114	3,476,805	5,933,444	2,547,553	264,184
Portugal.....	481,848	503,082	585,975	320,364	238,651
China.....	690,938	503,847	562,645	400,672	230,859
South Africa.....	56,100	104,932	78,905	82,825	201,970
Turkey.....	338,877	103,501	127,026	77,454	33,787
Russia.....	1,738,131	262,859	447,845	259,538	12,699
Australia.....	424,190	544,394	1,023,188	48,459	8,416
Dutch Possessions.....	411,545	31,140	15,899	3,164	7,433
Peru.....	521,603	2,360	1,342	1,214,594	1,280
Other countries.....	179,172	198,639	272,614	124,539	107,484
Total.....	366,810,686	384,853,469	421,352,542	271,817,900	226,892,733
Value in United States gold..	\$355,806,365	\$373,307,865	\$408,711,966	\$263,663,363	\$220,085,951

NOTE.—It must be remembered that the figures in this, as in all other imports and exports by values, represent valuations according to custom house appraisements. There is no exact parallel in custom house appraisements between any two countries of the world. The imports of Argentina in values for any particular country, as shown by Argentine statistical reports, will not be found to agree exactly with the exports to Argentina from that same country.

A further complication enters into the problem. This arises in the matter of transshipments. Goods going from one country to another may not be intended for consumption in the latter country, and yet the custom house of the exporting country may not be able to differentiate this class of goods from others, and, consequently, enters them as exports to the latter country when, in reality, they are not such. In brief, cross statistics never agree and cannot be made to do so.

The imports under nineteen major classifications were:

	1911 Pesos	1912 Pesos	1913 Pesos	1914 Pesos	1915 Pesos
Live animals.....	521,530	558,975	1,419,290	1,244,271	1,317,456
Food products.....	29,336,767	30,140,447	34,933,955	23,324,382	22,555,936
Tobacco.....	5,891,805	7,594,968	7,038,055	5,908,466	6,145,212
Wines, liquors, and other beverages.....	13,799,170	14,677,392	14,042,158	8,131,073	6,561,578
Textiles, and manufactures of.....	69,698,095	78,370,163	89,560,214	52,517,281	51,934,567
Oils, grease, etc.....	15,890,464	18,446,032	23,778,916	20,053,399	36,140,287
Chemicals and pharmaceutical products.....	12,178,274	14,281,226	15,193,658	11,109,655	10,590,210
Paints, dyes, etc.....	2,444,818	2,515,287	2,535,437	1,670,577	1,443,417
Timber, woods, straw, and manufactures of.....	10,400,579	9,888,377	10,828,939	5,861,143	4,211,560
Paper and manufactures of.....	8,669,980	9,866,902	9,901,985	7,420,912	5,823,277
Hides, skins, and manufactures of.....	3,597,784	3,903,152	4,610,560	2,652,159	2,102,535
Iron, steel and manufactures of.....	43,085,741	45,997,642	50,040,305	35,158,112	18,645,948
Other metals, and manufactures of.....	15,479,686	14,366,709	14,257,919	7,648,176	5,870,150
Agricultural implements and machinery.....	13,692,372	12,552,048	9,124,632	3,239,156	6,546,717
Locomotion: Railway cars, equipment, carriages, automobiles, etc.....	36,865,379	32,798,668	37,223,336	22,958,653	6,798,217
Earths, stones, glass, coal, etc.....	33,202,076	33,617,226	36,577,931	28,847,454	19,890,457
Building materials.....	33,789,444	31,265,467	35,775,580	17,935,161	11,934,609
Electrical apparatus.....	6,683,673	9,308,785	10,110,088	7,023,547	3,756,637
Miscellaneous.....	11,583,049	14,704,003	14,399,584	9,114,323	4,623,963
Total.....	366,810,686	384,853,469	421,352,542	271,817,900	226,892,733
Value in United States gold..	\$355,806,365	\$373,307,865	\$408,711,966	\$263,663,363	\$220,085,951

The principal articles of importation for 1913, 1914, and 1915, and the principal countries of origin were as follows:

Food products:

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Olive oil.....	4,304,094	3,768,930	3,888,455
Italy.....	2,670,639	2,281,484	2,125,035
Spain.....	1,304,372	1,199,349	1,488,796
United States.....	177,483	172,476	189,535
Other countries.....	151,600	115,621	85,107
Sugar refined.....	3,991,385	508,206	1,771
Austria-Hungary.....	2,286,393	288,025	.....
Germany.....	1,260,792	168,621	.....
France.....	416,234	47,653	1,593
Other countries.....	27,966	3,907	178
Sugar unrefined.....	1,529,367	9,407	54
Germany.....	1,528,126	9,364	.....
Other countries.....	1,241	43	54
Cleaned rice.....	3,431,570	2,134,945	2,033,441
Italy.....	1,715,613	1,495,923	79,152
Netherlands.....	869,166	390,729	.....
British Possessions.....	379,441	94,603	123,022
Spain.....	254,705	46,751	1,411,772
Germany.....	166,158	83,468	.....
United States.....	.....	9,424	227,262
France.....	.....	.....	99,137
Other countries.....	46,487	14,047	93,096
Cheese.....	2,018,016	1,533,737	1,325,152
Italy.....	1,503,144	1,212,691	1,092,380
Switzerland.....	168,912	85,647	60,647
Netherlands.....	154,559	78,762	57,193
France.....	143,038	105,837	101,567
Other countries.....	48,363	50,800	13,365
Coffee.....	1,774,255	1,683,252	1,966,959
Brazil.....	1,736,647	1,637,943	1,920,162
Other countries.....	37,608	45,309	46,797
Sardines.....	1,246,154	657,298	648,246
Spain.....	799,578	420,318	361,204
Norway.....	260,298	141,840	184,645
Portugal.....	62,103	43,802	13,226
France.....	55,773	18,779	33,133
Other countries.....	68,402	32,559	56,038
Cottonseed oil.....	1,183,076	1,201,623	1,523,509
United States.....	1,170,240	1,179,658	1,512,497
Other countries.....	12,836	21,965	11,012
Tea.....	1,128,846	844,399	819,606
China.....	415,736	305,514	200,046
British Possessions.....	354,185	305,232	358,799
United Kingdom.....	324,184	210,988	240,580
Other countries.....	34,741	22,665	20,181
Eggs.....	607,464	660,044	278,008
Italy.....	386,522	458,590	56,991
Spain.....	134,799	72,581	139,838
United Kingdom.....	60,726	84,148	.....
Uruguay.....	20,856	40,167	75,618
Other countries.....	4,561	4,558	5,561
Cod-fish.....	747,004	623,755	530,399
Norway.....	510,766	487,995	481,602
United Kingdom.....	151,044	77,082	39,250
Germany.....	64,464	38,064	.....
Other countries.....	20,730	20,614	9,547

Tobacco:

Tobacco (Havana).....	968,173	1,007,322	867,246
Cuba.....	816,348	890,546	794,838
Other countries.....	151,825	116,776	72,408

	1913 Pesos	1914 Pesos	1915 Pesos
Tobacco (other than Havana).....	2,194,590	2,133,327	2,275,656
Brazil.....	1,609,736	1,613,507	1,750,565
United States.....	516,152	444,831	356,594
Other countries.....	68,702	74,989	168,497
Cigars (other than Havana).....	1,215,266	1,016,391	477,203
Italy.....	858,335	733,606	320,359
Switzerland.....	204,805	167,166	64,488
Netherlands.....	104,695	80,868	66,347
Other countries.....	47,431	34,751	26,009
Sheep dip.....	2,114,656	1,411,526	2,384,553
United Kingdom.....	1,959,734	1,298,209	2,315,157
United States.....	100,564	45,430	49,360
Belgium.....	4,461	30,881	.....
Other countries.....	49,897	37,006	20,036

Wines, liquors, and other beverages:

Ordinary wine (in casks).....	3,520,546	2,391,463	1,508,118
Spain.....	1,492,202	963,333	707,757
Italy.....	1,298,449	986,886	597,819
France.....	711,206	419,868	200,481
Other countries.....	18,689	21,376	2,061
Wines, medium class, in casks.....	750,285	532,298	398,772
Spain.....	365,328	254,721	224,508
Italy.....	289,928	240,680	140,367
Other countries.....	95,029	36,897	33,897
Vermouth (in bottles).....	3,363,600	2,050,492	1,843,696
Italy.....	2,499,864	1,236,476	1,433,432
France.....	857,016	812,308	391,440
Other countries.....	6,720	1,708	8,824
Bitters all sorts (other than Angostura).....	989,080	575,680	572,772
France.....	542,864	303,968	292,685
Italy.....	433,064	256,316	224,526
Other countries.....	13,152	15,396	55,561
Malt.....	1,231,832	874,420	555,584
Austria-Hungary.....	1,124,828	592,992	1,679
Germany.....	103,575	77,110	4,713
United States.....	.....	122,299	182,361
Chile.....	.....	75,905	201,135
United Kingdom.....	998	.....	163,813
Other countries.....	2,431	6,114	1,883

Textiles and manufactures of:

Cotton prints.....	4,119,377	2,488,394	2,263,171
United Kingdom.....	2,780,660	1,584,021	1,737,075
Italy.....	541,156	349,899	320,492
Germany.....	432,421	330,621	48,903
Spain.....	214,863	124,330	97,789
Other countries.....	150,277	99,523	58,912
Bleached cotton piece goods.....	4,841,056	2,504,921	3,439,899
United Kingdom.....	3,789,739	1,944,474	3,002,877
Italy.....	619,054	343,089	327,560
Germany.....	147,117	71,822	.....
Belgium.....	107,446	53,341	.....
France.....	105,180	62,424	.....
Other countries.....	72,520	29,771	116,446
Unbleached cotton piece goods.....	1,102,564	516,621	886,284
United Kingdom.....	811,043	417,106	724,998
Italy.....	216,395	76,911	101,794
United States.....	30,197	12,141	38,527
Other countries.....	44,929	10,463	20,965
Cotton lace.....	1,498,213	776,149	518,577
United Kingdom.....	561,812	285,552	192,123
Germany.....	526,239	248,550	31,140
Switzerland.....	146,199	102,042	99,320
France.....	126,224	67,422	65,039
Italy.....	108,347	62,968	72,880
Other countries.....	29,392	9,615	58,075

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Cotton yarn	1,671,248	892,216	2,047,921
Italy	717,922	386,082	532,074
United Kingdom	319,200	161,393	231,723
Netherlands	232,322	96,576	.....
Belgium	208,443	132,165	.....
Germany	41,091	55,058	.....
United States	75,520	14,933	1,215,129
Other countries	76,750	46,009	68,995
Colored cotton yarn	1,043,997	571,184	709,366
Netherlands	362,109	134,824	35,789
Italy	330,308	290,111	342,322
Belgium	182,955	39,856	642
Germany	89,405	58,450	15,120
United States	1,216	.....	213,002
United Kingdom	37,539	11,944	63,009
Other countries	40,465	35,999	39,482
Colored prints	12,875,730	7,552,901	6,932,932
United Kingdom	5,114,033	2,865,147	2,113,661
Italy	4,957,531	3,072,468	3,100,810
Germany	1,138,018	800,162	261,463
Belgium	997,977	470,450	133,636
France	338,464	194,736	92,174
Spain	256,041	118,208	102,159
United States	20,394	.....	94,932
Other countries	53,272	31,730	34,097
Colored cotton piece goods	1,000,043	546,007	336,453
United Kingdom	422,932	274,369	160,222
Spain	155,831	61,598	46,781
Germany	143,295	67,238	9,052
France	128,615	66,488	33,336
Italy	84,282	50,818	48,772
United States .....	.....	20,917	20,917
Other countries	65,088	25,496	17,373
Stockings, cotton	1,972,078	1,354,490	1,313,005
Germany	1,557,254	1,064,927	404,663
France	274,149	189,829	98,854
United States	3,434	3,208	504,993
Spain	44,435	28,649	159,410
Other countries	92,806	67,877	145,085
Bagging	12,154,046	5,144,439	12,447,603
British Possessions	6,358,516	2,449,925	6,911,534
United Kingdom	5,227,523	2,594,628	5,344,932
Other countries	568,007	99,886	191,177
Sack-cloth bags	1,287,194	974,397	830,114
United Kingdom	936,498	721,180	496,154
British Possessions	213,538	117,246	318,614
Italy	77,717	114,337	.....
Other countries	59,441	21,634	15,346
Sacks for packing meat	555,341	588,096	676,728
United Kingdom	555,341	570,585	450,024
United States .....	.....	17,511	222,643
Other countries .....	.....	.....	4,061
Cotton goods not specified	1,337,436	789,124	427,012
Germany	621,908	306,866	86,144
France	391,032	266,224	180,635
United Kingdom	174,043	137,311	74,991
United States .....	.....	.....	25,049
Spain .....	.....	.....	20,926
Other countries	150,453	78,723	39,267
Woolen piece goods	1,258,790	894,847	221,240
Germany	550,559	370,071	23,869
France	353,067	270,381	61,179
United Kingdom	251,486	152,455	93,851
Spain .....	.....	.....	23,842
Italy .....	.....	101,940	9,315
Other countries	103,678	.....	9,184

	1913 Pesos	1914 Pesos	1915 Pesos
Woolen and mixed piece goods.....	3,549,973	2,294,197	1,083,181
United Kingdom.....	2,410,552	1,506,864	792,438
Germany.....	567,598	343,161	85,007
Italy.....	301,025	251,429	140,388
France.....	146,948	129,622	.....
Other countries.....	123,850	63,111	65,348
Cotton and woolen piece goods.....	1,313,442	899,671	369,535
United Kingdom.....	551,507	381,195	208,519
Germany.....	352,020	218,095	85,519
Belgium.....	155,555	98,845	27,795
France.....	124,705	96,864	11,055
Italy.....	106,695	94,388	27,871
Other countries.....	22,960	10,284	9,154
Linen piece goods.....	1,001,915	553,603	392,263
United Kingdom.....	511,858	259,162	302,058
Belgium.....	212,721	134,380	33,893
Germany.....	130,832	62,443	13,245
France.....	126,536	79,664	26,049
Other countries.....	19,068	17,954	17,018
Silk piece goods.....	2,852,401	2,043,535	2,070,135
France.....	1,671,273	1,299,795	1,005,386
Germany.....	366,909	174,423	.....
Italy.....	338,334	255,874	303,904
United Kingdom.....	336,863	148,864	349,266
Switzerland.....	385	96,120	120,633
Japan.....	3,885	47,107	150,914
Other countries.....	134,752	21,352	40,032
Cotton and silk piece goods.....	1,682,660	1,192,264	644,516
France.....	612,424	393,212	205,936
United Kingdom.....	572,636	468,524	146,308
Germany.....	263,216	146,636	25,368
Italy.....	154,344	143,376	208,704
Other countries.....	80,040	40,516	58,200
Brussels carpeting.....	912,712	707,183	157,969
United Kingdom.....	329,024	257,382	83,408
Germany.....	267,285	230,657	.....
France.....	168,838	116,611	60,344
Other countries.....	147,565	102,533	14,217
Sewing thread.....	738,751	690,745	534,329
United Kingdom.....	622,838	621,006	518,300
Other countries.....	115,913	69,739	16,0229
Oils, grease, etc.:			
Naphtha or gasoline.....	11,931,840	10,603,240	25,602,407
United States.....	10,215,302	7,546,015	10,513,568
Mexico.....	1,326,591	1,735,907	15,072,177
Peru.....	.....	1,213,568	.....
Other countries.....	389,947	107,750	16,662
Lubricating oils.....	2,554,625	1,614,239	1,890,609
United States.....	1,451,704	935,242	1,525,664
United Kingdom.....	625,313	435,770	342,403
Russia.....	286,915	149,676	.....
Other countries.....	190,693	93,551	22,542
Petroleum.....	2,046,860	1,596,688	1,411,389
United States.....	2,046,058	1,596,577	1,411,362
Other countries.....	802	111	27
Chemicals and pharmaceutical products:			
Patent medicines.....	1,994,524	1,534,093	1,467,876
France.....	1,119,588	755,302	819,832
Italy.....	285,684	270,863	214,488
United States.....	228,055	209,642	244,077
Germany.....	145,945	134,091	.....
United Kingdom.....	110,165	87,908	77,872
Other countries.....	105,087	76,287	111,607

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	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Tartaric acid.....	1,147,353	702,774	776,267
Germany.....	433,761	106,759	154,113
Italy.....	413,992	327,875	477,989
United Kingdom.....	125,442	131,098	69,396
France.....	116,743	78,759	73,355
Other countries.....	57,415	57,473	1,414
Chemical products not enumerated.....	839,263	705,513	215,648
Germany.....	453,812	414,076	.....
France.....	182,962	127,181	77,201
United Kingdom.....	87,667	61,628	63,731
Italy.....	34,920	31,315	15,742
United States.....	.....	.....	4,415
Other countries.....	79,902	71,313	54,559
Perfumery.....	1,283,783	987,598	793,388
France.....	983,406	691,501	564,635
United Kingdom.....	131,842	151,159	142,279
Germany.....	83,999	85,646	18,572
Other countries.....	84,536	59,202	67,902

Paper and manufactures of:

News-print paper.....	1,844,962	1,435,187	1,535,196
United States.....	662,352	512,650	875,879
Germany.....	635,506	422,303	.....
Norway.....	266,792	140,484	201,904
Sweden.....	250,631	327,551	258,590
Other countries.....	29,681	32,199	198,823
Building paper.....	1,256,255	801,200	548,818
Germany.....	1,041,876	655,798	195,819
United Kingdom.....	75,958	44,802	50,730
Austria-Hungary.....	39,979	28,837	.....
Italy.....	21,903	11,073	.....
Netherlands.....	16,769	18,452	56,144
United States.....	10,318	15,589	144,080
Other countries.....	49,452	26,649	102,045
Printed books.....	1,202,209	958,472	612,731
Spain.....	492,068	420,606	300,664
Italy.....	322,097	175,290	106,523
France.....	159,872	124,451	58,337
United Kingdom.....	104,384	92,326	74,398
Germany.....	69,854	76,460	14,447
Other countries.....	63,934	69,339	58,362
Typolithographical pamphlets.....	1,017,055	1,053,483	601,158
United Kingdom.....	579,051	733,107	432,553
Germany.....	172,678	91,869	17,240
France.....	94,129	72,437	51,411
United States.....	60,563	66,726	52,215
Other countries.....	110,634	89,344	47,739

Hides, skins, and manufactures of:

Boots and shoes.....	991,220	964,477	636,848
United States.....	433,797	426,683	391,163
United Kingdom.....	337,929	296,069	163,148
Switzerland.....	90,069	73,527	41,053
Other countries.....	129,425	68,198	41,484

Iron, steel, and manufactures of:

Pig and sheet iron.....	6,378,999	3,241,737	661,338
Germany.....	3,021,721	1,447,337	.....
Belgium.....	2,193,118	959,750	.....
United Kingdom.....	619,514	415,907	84,130
United States.....	455,885	352,346	480,989
Other countries.....	88,761	66,397	96,219
Wrought iron.....	4,234,929	5,879,867	3,371,810
United Kingdom.....	2,456,758	4,684,110	2,947,838
Germany.....	904,377	328,606	.....
Belgium.....	531,769	488,287	.....
United States.....	223,463	272,191	325,409
Other countries.....	118,562	106,673	98,563

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Galvanized iron.....	6,383,860	2,912,630	2,845,990
United Kingdom.....	5,386,640	2,104,270	2,039,940
Germany.....	417,550	193,760	46,830
United States.....	303,170	343,630	755,440
Belgium.....	250,390	260,470	.....
Other countries.....	26,110	10,500	3,780
Iron main piping, large sizes.....	2,292,527	4,584,501	762,972
United Kingdom.....	1,983,098	2,080,316	762,972
Belgium.....	137,302	1,247,263	.....
France.....	160,822	980,881	.....
Other countries.....	11,305	276,041	.....
Iron columns.....	186,228	595,015	166,133
United Kingdom.....	111,776	161,238	59,475
Germany.....	57,745	116,635	.....
United States.....	11,690	241,208	86,555
Other countries.....	5,017	75,934	20,103
Galvanized wire.....	2,125,538	1,227,144	617,515
Germany.....	1,311,544	894,596	.....
United States.....	495,807	109,378	582,427
United Kingdom.....	234,481	128,160	.....
Other countries.....	83,706	95,010	35,088
Galvanized iron pipes.....	2,024,902	845,735	414,599
United Kingdom.....	1,256,820	337,876	60,694
Germany.....	464,764	343,286	11,771
United States.....	243,496	135,341	335,554
Other countries.....	59,912	29,232	6,580
Iron pipes (other than galvanized).....	1,597,608	1,484,116	918,660
United Kingdom.....	957,836	640,780	770,817
Germany.....	426,319	623,784	72,867
United States.....	132,536	113,768	60,587
Netherlands.....	10,460	61,226	.....
Other countries.....	70,457	44,558	14,389
Iron and steel wire (other than galvanized).....	830,683	656,878	716,515
Germany.....	438,101	530,242	.....
United States.....	334,203	72,213	578,611
Other countries.....	58,379	54,423	38,904
Iron and steel manufactures (not enumerated).....	1,413,010	1,327,208	819,307
United Kingdom.....	537,525	707,415	606,550
Germany.....	384,562	201,426	36,811
United States.....	199,604	218,938	118,768
France.....	171,248	97,448	17,179
Other countries.....	120,071	101,981	39,999
Machinery (various kinds).....	6,210,438	3,470,870	1,445,126
Germany.....	2,886,625	1,252,070	153,984
United Kingdom.....	1,355,353	959,195	450,017
United States.....	847,572	580,246	460,101
Belgium.....	204,427	228,829	.....
Italy.....	146,296	90,230	181,531
Other countries.....	770,165	360,300	199,493
Spare parts for machinery.....	2,734,468	1,670,147	1,222,300
United States.....	796,673	440,873	431,439
Germany.....	698,671	396,487	83,396
United Kingdom.....	593,787	434,048	421,680
Belgium.....	299,199	197,536	.....
France.....	178,548	100,749	.....
Italy.....	56,950	36,099	82,783
Other countries.....	110,640	64,355	203,002
Dynamos and electric motors.....	1,127,491	666,150	289,037
Germany.....	508,711	358,622	29,408
United Kingdom.....	467,363	138,960	104,216
Italy.....	70,016	101,833	102,449
United States.....	.....	.....	33,578
Other countries.....	81,401	66,735	19,386
Motors (various kinds).....	824,651	563,912	378,049
United States.....	477,329	98,648	266,390
United Kingdom.....	131,412	91,831	77,858
Germany.....	94,880	70,668	.....
Italy.....	56,339	287,921	16,256
Other countries.....	64,691	14,844	17,545

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Boilers.....	1,087,556	948,001	210,485
United Kingdom.....	942,790	774,936	184,189
Germany.....	82,917	78,462	2,101
Belgium.....	19,608	35,459	.....
United States.....	15,569	36,010	20,477
Other countries.....	26,672	23,134	3,718
Steel ingots and sheets.....	685,407	849,196	436,528
United Kingdom.....	567,758	404,899	197,310
Germany.....	38,357	183,230	.....
Belgium.....	28,632	115,739	.....
United States.....	20,732	134,749	206,477
Other countries.....	29,928	10,579	32,741
Sewing machines.....	1,227,126	573,818	155,827
United States.....	725,982	350,368	139,506
Germany.....	245,786	48,132	5,593
United Kingdom.....	235,982	162,800	7,776
Other countries.....	19,376	12,718	2,952

Paints, dyes, etc.:

Paints, prepared.....	838,237	590,234	543,288
United Kingdom.....	536,441	388,343	335,208
United States.....	145,341	88,098	141,798
Germany.....	54,917	36,982	.....
Netherlands.....	45,547	37,490	38,030
Other countries.....	55,991	39,321	28,252

Timber, woods, straw, and manufactures of:

Spruce.....	2,964,094	1,460,018	966,687
United States.....	1,501,472	668,850	302,416
Canada.....	917,630	309,778	599,978
Sweden.....	253,680	168,168	31,612
United Kingdom.....	50,162	127,050	20,131
Austria-Hungary.....	198,842	114,674	.....
Other countries.....	42,308	71,498	12,505
Furniture.....	2,764,924	1,472,934	635,711
United States.....	711,118	307,079	266,065
Austria-Hungary.....	600,611	253,286	39,890
United Kingdom.....	424,058	375,872	156,343
France.....	409,520	235,163	91,478
Germany.....	389,523	160,424	29,677
Italy.....	144,813	101,262	37,124
Other countries.....	85,281	39,848	15,134
Wood pulp.....	959,780	700,010	458,307
Sweden.....	528,629	326,488	275,900
Norway.....	262,584	99,780	149,866
Germany.....	112,786	190,105	.....
Other countries.....	55,781	83,637	32,541
Staves and empty casks.....	860,009	683,124	599,108
United States.....	765,238	640,031	549,392
Other countries.....	94,771	43,093	49,716
Pianos.....	1,293,020	432,316	223,884
Germany.....	1,033,199	306,320	73,500
France.....	72,630	20,280	31,960
United States.....	62,940	52,329	70,191
United Kingdom.....	55,080	17,072	13,470
Spain.....	.....	.....	29,450
Other countries.....	69,171	36,315	5,313

Other metals and manufactures of:

Jewelry (fine).....	1,934,502	653,064	347,554
Germany.....	859,886	271,628	.....
France.....	655,358	193,991	215,483
Italy.....	141,193	86,568	69,510
United Kingdom.....	184,337	57,040	31,279
Other countries.....	93,728	43,837	31,282

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Watches (other than gold).....	1,821,701	592,698	317,189
Switzerland.....	763,166	222,928	193,797
Germany.....	504,689	144,068	11,627
Italy.....	214,490	61,325	50,615
France.....	195,974	137,074	33,311
United States.....			17,908
Other countries.....	143,382	27,303	9,931
Tin plate.....	1,218,248	710,898	1,405,835
United Kingdom.....	1,102,350	567,360	404,686
United States.....	59,561	131,232	991,113
Other countries.....	56,337	12,306	10,036
Copper manufactures.....	1,118,170	612,015	289,282
Germany.....	402,385	174,188	21,053
United Kingdom.....	339,360	162,254	122,454
France.....	148,731	129,375	24,070
United States.....	127,016	83,273	56,628
Sweden.....			41,729
Italy.....			14,605
Other countries.....	100,678	62,925	8,743
Pig and sheet lead.....	680,167	671,491	574,767
Spain.....	437,267	544,072	448,318
United Kingdom.....	171,720	92,191	68,972
Other countries.....	71,180	35,228	57,477

Agricultural implements and machinery:

Reapers.....	1,907,142	125,785	286,179
Australia.....	894,600		
United States.....	663,791	120,725	180,795
Canada.....	315,891		103,674
Italy.....		4,600	
Other countries.....	32,860	460	1,710
Thrashing machines.....	1,427,100	81,287	349,863
United States.....	901,659	53,243	210,298
United Kingdom.....	476,710	24,630	
Canada.....			131,550
Other countries.....	48,731	3,414	8,015
Ploughs.....	1,296,922	618,804	644,320
United States.....	1,233,735	592,005	624,477
Other countries.....	63,187	26,799	19,843
Sisal twine.....	1,668,611	393,902	1,964,195
United States.....	1,538,680	300,303	1,939,736
Belgium.....		61,811	
Mexico.....		14,491	
Other countries.....	129,931	17,297	24,459

Locomotion: Railway cars, equipment, carriages, automobiles, etc.:

Steel rails.....	6,263,80	3,397,440	535,640
United Kingdom.....	1,995,720	1,734,360	90,320
Germany.....	1,856,280	726,680	114,760
United States.....	1,640,080	623,320	330,560
Other countries.....	771,600	313,080	
Railway freight cars.....	5,038,666	2,950,524	29,021
United Kingdom.....	2,409,834	1,792,927	29,021
United States.....	711,283	99,279	
Germany.....	695,786	22,082	
Belgium.....	1,205,863	1,026,506	
Other countries.....	15,900	9,730	
Railway material.....	5,041,415	4,116,622	1,690,786
United Kingdom.....	3,638,864	3,238,370	1,513,574
Germany.....	536,788	500,323	
Belgium.....	490,226	105,511	
United States.....	265,118	224,906	131,206
Other countries.....	110,419	47,512	46,006
Locomotives.....	3,486,324	4,018,828	761,530
United Kingdom.....	2,639,066	2,902,209	754,530
Germany.....	695,347	1,111,459	7,000
Other countries.....	151,911	5,160	

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	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Railway cars.....	1,454,376	923,237	497,800
United Kingdom.....	1,305,289	815,365	497,800
Other countries.....	149,087	107,872	.....
Tramway material.....	1,091,550	1,324,159	222,311
Germany.....	612,178	703,871	3,560
United Kingdom.....	254,527	501,834	192,047
Belgium.....	162,778	75,773	4,090
United States.....	.....	.....	12,714
Other countries.....	62,067	42,681	9,900
Wheels and axles.....	1,389,581	1,014,918	64,536
United Kingdom.....	1,017,215	868,351	59,869
United States.....	244,487	48,446	3,060
Belgium.....	45,078	65,160	.....
Other countries.....	82,801	32,961	1,607
Steel fish-plates.....	1,382,210	549,712	92,476
United Kingdom.....	605,008	273,454	18,787
Germany.....	405,448	93,663	4,262
United States.....	277,186	90,070	65,176
Belgium.....	87,375	71,292	.....
Other countries.....	7,193	21,233	4,251
Automobiles.....	5,382,604	1,145,767	632,080
France.....	1,984,386	483,566	58,600
United States.....	1,039,996	257,188	462,225
Germany.....	879,559	122,900	.....
Italy.....	510,403	112,490	41,225
Other countries.....	968,260	169,623	70,030
Spare parts for carriages and automobiles.....	2,657,527	1,649,379	1,689,292
France.....	843,563	495,604	236,239
Germany.....	815,948	382,753	.....
United Kingdom.....	547,661	301,611	441,285
Italy.....	220,273	348,861	755,627
United States.....	116,259	81,219	234,196
Other countries.....	113,823	39,331	21,945
Earths, stones, glass, coal, etc.:			
Coal.....	28,323,946	28,950,682	17,807,209
United Kingdom.....	27,843,550	22,697,633	12,913,915
United States.....	393,442	1,188,502	4,562,229
Other countries.....	86,954	64,547	331,065
Glassware.....	1,018,210	642,675	220,888
Germany.....	422,999	216,187	32,065
Belgium.....	240,804	172,585	24,983
France.....	231,411	150,418	81,174
Netherlands.....	.....	.....	28,301
Sweden.....	.....	.....	17,433
United Kingdom.....	.....	.....	15,464
United States.....	.....	.....	13,006
Other countries.....	122,996	103,485	8,453
Sheet glass.....	1,887,113	1,138,718	716,881
Belgium.....	1,026,253	597,946	58,635
United Kingdom.....	550,449	343,025	213,507
Germany.....	182,415	92,722	.....
United States.....	17,604	11,178	196,904
Netherlands.....	2,194	.....	109,706
Spain.....	12,083	.....	87,266
Other countries.....	96,115	93,847	50,863
Earthenware.....	1,028,435	610,316	378,030
United Kingdom.....	456,671	246,851	196,571
Germany.....	201,799	158,375	.....
Belgium.....	136,698	74,486	.....
France.....	58,073	68,299	151,212
Netherlands.....	115,097	50,377	30,247
Other countries.....	60,097	11,928	.....
Earthenware conduits.....	343,862	528,596	532,593
United Kingdom.....	35,487	488,774	532,593
Germany.....	31,381	39,801	.....
Other countries.....	7,994	21	.....

Building materials:

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Cement.....	7,936,071	3,692,216	2,617,351
Belgium.....	4,146,538	1,777,336	70,477
United Kingdom.....	1,117,189	412,456	917,906
France.....	1,050,709	585,552	257,719
Germany.....	568,403	442,684	43,428
United States.....	120,714	111,991	239,140
Sweden.....	457,831	106,117	515,240
Denmark.....	145,365	94,820	454,894
Other countries.....	254,793	161,260	118,547
Structural iron.....	4,161,520	644,200	165,240
Germany.....	2,252,480	259,280	54,360
France.....	918,160	38,080	.....
United States.....	64,120	77,920	69,360
Belgium.....	747,640	207,040	19,920
United Kingdom.....	137,040	28,840	8,960
Other countries.....	42,080	33,040	12,640
Bolts and nuts.....	1,331,724	827,713	340,570
United Kingdom.....	485,952	354,702	165,132
United States.....	323,025	159,234	148,487
Belgium.....	213,240	116,816	3,133
Germany.....	192,190	113,253	7,947
France.....	.....	.....	10,251
Other countries.....	117,317	83,708	5,620
Spruce.....	2,964,094	1,460,018	966,687
United States.....	1,501,472	668,850	302,461
Canada.....	917,630	309,778	599,978
Sweden.....	253,680	168,168	31,612
United Kingdom.....	50,162	127,050	20,131
Austria-Hungary.....	198,842	114,674	.....
Other countries.....	42,308	71,498	12,505
Pitch pine.....	9,128,464	3,789,088	2,831,139
United Kingdom.....	9,034,800	3,728,368	2,789,078
Canada.....	.....	.....	27,200
Other countries.....	93,664	60,720	14,861
White pine.....	1,406,879	934,038	669,962
United States.....	1,058,640	750,184	238,451
Canada.....	231,460	105,540	93,887
Brazil.....	94,370	76,745	327,166
Other countries.....	22,409	1,568	10,458

Electrical apparatus:

Electrical material.....	551,521	1,035,828	525,880
United Kingdom.....	252,274	776,142	392,306
Germany.....	233,534	169,952	.....
United States.....	.....	.....	21,562
Other countries.....	65,713	89,734	112,012
Wire and cable for electric purposes.....	4,945,631	3,394,418	1,689,251
Germany.....	2,308,394	1,558,673	.....
United Kingdom.....	2,023,900	903,339	860,256
Italy.....	382,281	691,887	532,427
United States.....	120,789	52,107	241,253
Other countries.....	110,267	188,475	55,315

Miscellaneous:

Goods by parcel post.....	3,612,669	2,338,162	1,264,996
United Kingdom.....	1,154,627	490,144	205,507
France.....	985,492	776,001	575,829
Germany.....	729,341	448,179	.....
Italy.....	636,766	523,833	313,403
Other countries.....	106,443	100,005	170,257

IMPORTS BY PORTS

The imports by ports for the last five years were as follows:

	1911 <i>Pesos</i>	1912 <i>Pesos</i>	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Buenos Aires.....	292,935,684	315,161,703	337,643,199	208,116,629	180,801,738
Rosario.....	37,800,115	32,465,988	37,110,661	27,678,581	16,051,141
Campana.....	3,644,972	3,033,351	6,523,889	6,071,858	9,119,165
La Plata.....	9,924,068	9,251,431	10,005,232	9,429,112	7,607,543
Bahia Blanca.....	8,167,164	11,475,661	13,380,550	6,590,284	5,311,870
Villa Constitución.....	4,608,364	2,920,151	4,344,340	3,360,375	1,679,305
Santa Fe.....	3,797,772	3,397,492	3,186,118	2,838,417	994,358
Zarate.....	864,678	1,184,077	2,385,007	2,687,277	948,240
Colon.....	502,415	601,477	438,311	613,612	922,062
Concepción del Uruguay.....	.....	1,569,588	1,209,024	807,032	307,828
Concordia.....	416,879	384,196	426,434	167,865	115,039
Parana.....	388,874	528,708	234,929	168,557	104,096
La Paz.....	115,391	108,602	85,522	57,556	79,432
Guaileguaychu.....	177,474	74,305	108,490	72,023	65,129
Mendoza.....	128,794	76,903	88,142	43,360	49,422
San Nicolas.....	5,108	67,372	19,486	2,521	1,507
Other ports.....	3,332,934	2,552,464	4,163,208	3,112,841	2,734,858
Total.....	366,810,686	384,853,469	421,352,542	271,817,900	226,892,733
Value in United States gold..	\$355,806,365	\$373,307,865	\$408,711,966	\$263,663,363	\$220,085,951

EXPORTS

The exports by principal countries of destination were as follows:

	1911 <i>Pesos</i>	1912 <i>Pesos</i>	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
United Kingdom.....	91,841,231	121,373,358	120,367,811	102,149,424	164,972,021
United States.....	24,300,464	32,391,148	22,894,809	42,866,995	89,842,833
Italy.....	13,586,663	21,147,962	20,038,893	8,548,690	40,939,402
France.....	39,692,434	36,052,009	37,718,537	19,971,629	40,355,986
Brazil.....	17,874,106	22,646,362	24,309,114	15,707,656	21,905,246
Netherlands.....	6,440,459	16,027,223	22,623,773	11,173,077	18,831,398
Uruguay.....	2,340,913	4,714,480	6,300,568	4,717,573	7,957,352
Spain.....	2,177,729	3,582,495	4,818,289	2,405,117	7,141,642
Sweden.....	1,004,209	1,496,050	1,073,976	1,675,142	5,021,285
Australia.....	.....	.....	.....	127,281	4,971,936
Norway.....	574,673	1,804,741	1,078,113	1,831,071	2,796,881
Chile.....	2,988,695	2,456,280	1,944,477	1,142,963	1,730,742
Paraguay.....	429,668	1,219,925	1,903,804	1,215,523	1,550,316
Denmark.....	74,822	861,587	732,801	774,742	1,539,663
Portugal.....	280,372	567,019	535,973	11,659	1,001,006
British Possessions.....	205,371	568,994	696,901	250,282	931,530
Bolivia.....	782,467	930,384	1,131,594	763,741	159,301
South Africa.....	252,158	147,128	163,362	53,120	361,662
Peru.....	450	8,835	5,024	.....	272,355
Cuba.....	560,344	782,741	638,230	339,188	227,101
French Possessions.....	85,520	74,106	306,972	146,763	158,520
Mexico.....	.....	400,355	117,945	136,920	137,619
Germany.....	43,073,014	53,995,175	57,915,843	30,731,422	.....
Belgium.....	35,625,605	37,258,225	32,731,869	17,505,887	.....
Austria Hungary.....	2,398,076	2,896,798	3,245,869	1,376,847	.....
Russia.....	266,206	376,643	607,951	256,979	.....
On Orders.....	36,357,095	114,903,510	117,716,237	82,623,619	143,136,625
Other countries.....	1,484,794	1,707,723	1,885,812	750,831	1,978,221
Total.....	324,697,538	480,391,256	483,504,547	349,254,141	558,280,643
Value in United States gold..	\$314,956,612	\$465,979,518	\$468,999,410	\$338,776,517	\$541,532,224

Argentina exports are classified under six general heads as follows:

	1911 <i>Pesos</i>	1912 <i>Pesos</i>	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Live animals and meat products.....	168,394,733	188,215,956	165,800,133	151,746,228	218,780,486
Agricultural products.....	139,764,386	278,186,572	301,267,094	184,367,331	312,883,708
Forest products.....	12,254,604	8,983,112	10,617,985	9,238,745	19,011,708
Mine products.....	565,338	285,272	194,690	83,871	180,336
Hunting and fishing.....	1,663,285	2,608,212	1,816,911	1,319,913	2,044,600
Miscellaneous.....	2,055,192	2,712,132	3,807,734	2,498,053	5,379,805
Total.....	324,697,538	480,391,256	483,504,547	349,254,141	558,280,643
Value in United States gold..	\$314,956,612	\$465,979,518	\$468,999,410	\$338,776,517	\$541,532,224

The principal articles of exportation for 1913, 1914, and 1915, and the principal countries of destination were as follows:

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Maize.....	112,292,394	77,704,018	93,475,450
United Kingdom.....	59,392,044	8,514,232	16,343,042
Germany.....	21,784,724	2,301,980	.....
Belgium.....	7,074,420	2,287,317	.....
Italy.....	4,940,865	2,319,825	3,343,509
Netherlands.....	2,899,750	1,507,296	5,817,829
France.....	4,433,195	2,883,223	3,177,765
United States.....	2,105,913	3,458,000	2,044,572
Spain.....	2,956,138	1,418,110	1,636,135
Other countries.....	6,705,345	2,464,753	1,964,194
For orders.....	.....	50,549,282	59,148,404
Wheat.....	102,631,143	37,165,851	132,632,073
United Kingdom.....	37,870,891	7,530,905	20,303,069
Germany.....	20,936,753	1,048,635	.....
Brazil.....	16,010,458	10,206,032	15,556,378
Belgium.....	15,394,671	3,401,214	.....
France.....	5,952,606	759,085	9,409,011
Italy.....	.....	.....	19,409,035
Other countries.....	6,465,764	3,461,811	14,810,303
For orders.....	.....	10,758,169	53,144,277
Linseed.....	49,910,201	42,948,375	46,100,866
Germany.....	17,568,390	4,035,451	.....
United Kingdom.....	7,135,362	12,375,253	9,972,631
Italy.....	5,889,403	295,230	831,497
United States.....	5,090,840	102,797	11,409,595
Netherlands.....	4,241,648	3,924,091	4,883,461
Belgium.....	3,793,175	3,392,078	.....
Other countries.....	6,191,383	2,682,924	1,361,583
For orders.....	.....	16,140,551	17,642,099
Oats.....	20,447,278	8,862,021	19,065,704
United Kingdom.....	7,296,728	3,972,677	6,365,494
Netherlands.....	3,804,585	1,351,084	203,789
France.....	2,318,643	115,665	1,501,497
Italy.....	2,165,234	471,017	2,849,269
Belgium.....	1,531,232	855,597	.....
Germany.....	825,765	178,480	.....
Other countries.....	2,505,091	163,399	120,492
For orders.....	.....	1,754,102	8,025,163
Barley.....	997,195	610,359	1,968,772
United Kingdom.....	335,620	274,661	997,217
Netherlands.....	167,030	170,900	671,705
Belgium.....	116,175	.....	.....
Germany.....	105,316	.....	.....
France.....	93,660	58,396	70,138
Spain.....	83,615	32,600	45,210
Other countries.....	37,699	18,868	12,967
For orders.....	58,080	54,934	171,535
Wheat flour.....	7,224,129	4,480,649	10,071,960
Brazil.....	5,802,051	3,877,676	4,778,278
United Kingdom.....	532,610	96,260	1,430,753
Paraguay.....	363,095	134,174	234,747
France.....	.....	.....	1,174,027
Netherlands.....	.....	.....	931,631
Other countries.....	526,373	372,539	1,522,524
Bran.....	4,740,184	4,255,226	1,981,154
Germany.....	3,427,620	1,533,909	.....
France.....	361,464	287,984	.....
United Kingdom.....	277,551	990,355	1,288,702
Sweden.....	39,493	57,175	73,302
Denmark.....	33,060	34,184	65,390
Norway.....	75,062	136,205	3,174
Other countries.....	258,096	595,011	152,557
For orders.....	267,838	620,313	398,029
Sugar refined.....	4,766	5,199,622	4,305,859
United Kingdom.....	.....	4,825,249	2,766,249
Uruguay.....	11	355,316	781,975
France.....	.....	.....	713,692
Bolivia.....	4,057	.....	.....
Other countries.....	698	19,057	43,943

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Cattle.....	6,848,830	3,482,990	3,100,830
Uruguay.....	3,699,510	2,138,970	2,260,980
Chile.....	1,614,780	849,660	533,490
Brazil.....	807,990	118,560	4,890
Paraguay.....	389,850	208,110	232,290
Other countries.....	336,700	167,690	69,180
Horses.....	736,550	1,174,800	4,862,750
France.....	27,000	610,900	3,574,300
United Kingdom.....	21,000	68,900	916,200
Uruguay.....	240,950	239,200	237,150
Paraguay.....	150,500	84,600	56,600
Chile.....	74,800	44,300	43,600
Bolivia.....	81,950	25,200	11,650
Brazil.....	70,150	20,100	4,450
Other countries.....	70,200	81,600	18,800
Frozen and chilled beef.....	36,622,889	36,896,726	76,175,100
United Kingdom.....	35,506,167	30,825,143	62,816,224
United States.....	.....	5,931,999	8,413,302
France.....	.....	.....	4,346,130
Other countries.....	1,116,722	139,584	599,444
Frozen mutton.....	3,674,206	4,695,001	6,306,263
United Kingdom.....	3,610,485	4,192,594	5,142,912
United States.....	.....	462,220	1,005,995
Other countries.....	63,721	40,187	157,356
Sundry frozen meats.....	910,511	1,032,877	725,278
United Kingdom.....	895,225	795,013	553,878
United States.....	8,339	237,586	171,380
Other countries.....	6,946	278	20
Preserved meats.....	1,257,391	1,308,737	3,194,407
United Kingdom.....	1,232,243	1,200,546	2,881,474
France.....	.....	.....	238,337
Other countries.....	25,148	108,191	74,596
Extract of meat.....	1,598,136	862,968	743,298
United Kingdom.....	1,413,724	733,522	672,476
Belgium.....	184,412	129,446	.....
Norway.....	.....	.....	50,544
Other countries.....	.....	.....	20,278
Condensed soup.....	375,392	367,158	565,471
United Kingdom.....	365,256	367,158	561,000
Other countries.....	10,136	.....	4,471
Casein.....	689,198	585,067	521,514
Germany.....	284,463	.....	.....
United Kingdom.....	157,946	93,270	.....
United States.....	113,036	148,022	373,063
Netherlands.....	71,723	223,496	43,000
Italy.....	50,030	73,133	44,000
Sweden.....	2,000	2,925	40,823
Other countries.....	10,000	44,221	20,628
Butter.....	1,513,753	1,392,663	1,849,070
United Kingdom.....	1,329,466	1,252,595	1,771,476
Uruguay.....	149,085	73,202	15,542
Other countries.....	35,202	66,866	62,052
Wool.....	46,967,658	45,270,016	55,579,000
Germany.....	14,971,835	12,351,392	.....
France.....	13,897,828	9,627,290	8,212,843
United Kingdom.....	6,947,438	10,527,242	7,657,407
Belgium.....	3,804,733	3,571,205	.....
United States.....	3,338,056	6,880,333	24,534,687
Italy.....	1,109,110	2,645,553	9,509,302
Other countries.....	1,201,016	1,364,643	5,664,761
Salted cattle hides.....	24,543,795	22,999,550	27,482,588
Germany.....	11,308,206	4,794,744	.....
United Kingdom.....	5,124,079	2,015,210	4,779,844
United States.....	4,082,268	13,209,349	19,660,882
Belgium.....	2,514,079	1,738,634	.....
Other countries.....	1,515,163	1,241,613	3,041,862

	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Dry cattle hides.....	13,988,905	8,872,391	15,290,278
United States.....	7,086,985	6,176,302	11,124,960
Germany.....	2,828,832	721,224	.....
Italy.....	1,721,033	935,117	1,260,235
Belgium.....	854,137	157,518	.....
Spain.....	644,890	344,296	2,042,694
Other countries.....	853,028	537,934	862,389
Sheep skins.....	5,586,253	4,006,112	6,805,674
France.....	5,246,212	3,590,976	5,602,017
United States.....	37,855	52,110	800,729
Other countries.....	302,186	363,026	402,928
Goat skins.....	1,162,878	809,785	1,244,531
United States.....	1,046,590	745,002	1,220,295
Other countries.....	116,288	64,783	24,236
Dry horse hides.....	375,253	402,451	778,094
Germany.....	351,007	.....	.....
United States.....	19,596	255,539	737,504
United Kingdom.....	.....	146,912	.....
Other countries.....	4,650	.....	40,590
Tanned sheep-skins.....	349,296	626,792	533,316
United States.....	349,296	626,792	526,848
Other countries.....	.....	.....	6,468
Nutria skins.....	378,833	156,561	584,342
Germany.....	349,064	.....	.....
United States.....	.....	156,561	548,407
Belgium.....	14,266	.....	.....
Other countries.....	15,503	.....	35,935
Meat flour.....	1,097,566	680,205	141,439
United Kingdom.....	1,044,882	658,438	141,439
Other countries.....	52,684	21,767	.....
Tallow.....	9,944,642	7,546,981	7,765,477
United Kingdom.....	2,632,511	2,355,004	3,097,568
Netherlands.....	2,144,545	1,145,708	1,568,462
Germany.....	2,049,525	1,169,273	.....
Belgium.....	621,014	493,179	.....
Italy.....	566,464	242,827	402,774
France.....	549,501	138,463	525,883
Brazil.....	436,329	399,685	627,464
Russia.....	293,530	187,412	.....
Norway.....	36,698	122,441	689,090
United States.....	.....	540,947	136,204
Chile.....	.....	.....	260,520
Other countries.....	614,525	752,042	457,512
Horse hair.....	2,681,723	1,766,244	966,268
Belgium.....	831,133	524,826	.....
United States.....	657,940	339,902	431,297
Italy.....	545,565	225,627	150,459
France.....	231,469	222,687	40,957
United Kingdom.....	173,452	297,497	299,409
Other countries.....	242,164	155,705	44,146
Bones.....	1,075,049	1,136,768	578,181
United States.....	586,528	877,581	448,344
France.....	160,687	53,886	12,771
Belgium.....	89,381	56,910	.....
United Kingdom.....	68,940	133,948	59,457
Austria-Hungary.....	63,297	.....	.....
Holland.....	30,450	.....	.....
British possessions.....	.....	.....	55,475
Other countries.....	75,766	14,443	2,134
Whale oil.....	1,028,027	977,075	1,376,758
United Kingdom.....	377,520	415,256	1,376,758
Germany.....	336,838	246,222	.....
Belgium.....	164,760	85,005
Netherlands.....	107,949	180,758
Other countries.....	40,960	49,834

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	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Quebracho logs.....	4,988,349	3,777,124	2,684,408
United States.....	2,125,036	132,431	535,481
Germany.....	1,915,526	140,541	.....
Italy.....	274,359	270,417	388,788
Belgium.....	249,417	49,025	.....
France.....	.....	.....	522,506
Other countries.....	424,011	217,198	322,894
For orders.....	.....	2,967,512	914,739
Extract of Quebracho.....	4,974,686	5,186,946	15,873,372
United States.....	1,772,039	855,147	2,165,245
United Kingdom.....	823,777	895,243	6,935,526
Austria-Hungary.....	407,122	227,720	.....
Belgium.....	389,517	119,219	.....
Germany.....	356,624	253,358	.....
France.....	222,231	70,734	688,973
Italy.....	200,864	124,701	1,264,830
Sweden.....	.....	133,428	670,501
Other countries.....	227,432	98,895	884,248
For orders.....	574,980	2,408,501	3,264,049
Woolen piece goods.....	.....	86,748	935,294
France.....	.....	86,748	935,294
Woolen blankets.....	.....	186,373	572,154
France.....	.....	174,631	549,895
United Kingdom.....	.....	11,742	.....
Other countries.....	.....	.....	22,259

EXPORTS BY PORTS

The exports by ports for the last five years were as follows:

	1911 <i>Pesos</i>	1912 <i>Pesos</i>	1913 <i>Pesos</i>	1914 <i>Pesos</i>	1915 <i>Pesos</i>
Buenos Aires.....	158,467,098	181,767,045	170,445,329	145,531,988	232,223,793
Rosario.....	44,113,639	85,118,833	90,574,657	67,542,980	102,453,837
Bahia Blanca.....	25,645,280	69,010,344	55,772,238	20,918,176	72,960,723
La Plata.....	30,527,690	32,490,969	43,064,764	27,986,724	47,748,904
Santa Fé.....	12,572,063	13,965,075	24,565,893	14,535,060	20,189,919
San Nicolas.....	2,388,509	20,819,844	25,228,495	14,009,016	13,967,487
Campana.....	7,245,433	7,331,149	7,644,603	4,202,574	7,872,477
Zarate.....	8,515,985	11,104,645	7,778,029	3,731,259	6,950,750
Concordia.....	7,852,132	10,657,734	8,687,273	5,987,769	4,533,060
Villa Constitución.....	115,542	1,641,570	1,463,972	2,078,379	4,031,577
Colon.....	5,150,845	6,753,099	6,230,236	4,042,205	3,815,171
Parana.....	1,208,486	5,469,349	4,554,735	3,650,132	2,773,420
Concepción del Uruguay.....	.....	3,046,245	2,570,913	2,483,208	1,294,612
La Paz.....	843,139	603,331	1,289,759	884,086	1,272,576
Guauguaychu.....	1,895,188	2,560,703	1,874,818	1,560,193	965,370
Mendoza.....	1,996,444	1,214,561	660,842	164,897	96,904
San Juan.....	66,510	36,840	1,000
Other ports.....	16,093,555	26,836,760	31,097,991	29,908,655	35,129,063
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